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For

METHODS OF USE OF IPMP DATA FOR MPEG-n IPMP (INTELLECTUAL

PROPERTY MANAGEMENT AND PROTECTION)

CLAIM OF PRIORITY

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby claims the right of priority granted pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 119 and 365 based upon Japanese Application No. 2002-127121, filed April 26, 2002. The International Bureau already should have sent a certified copy of the Japanese application to the United Stated designated office. If the certified copy has not arrived, please contact the undersigned.

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